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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 5 as follows:

Claim 5, line 1, delete "or 2".

## **REMARKS**

The above amendment to Claim 5 has been made in order to eliminate a multiple dependency. Favorable action on the merits of the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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